

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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SERIAL NO. 10/664,683 GROUP ART UNIT: 1745

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INVENTION: "ANODE MATERIAL AND BATTERY USING THE SAME"

Commissioner for Patents

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**AMENDMENT "B" AFTER FINAL**

SIR:

This Amendment "B" is filed in response to the final Office Action of June 8, 2006.

Please reconsider the application in view of the amendment and remarks presented below.